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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer who supports broadband competition. I live in northern California and I like doing business with as local company like Sonic. They offer great customer service and are committed to net neutrality, all at a reasonable price. AT&T and Xfinity are my only other options for broadband and they have poor customer service and no commitment to net neutrality. Wholesale access to infrastructure is the only way Sonic can compete. Deregulation in favor of massive national players is sure to mean fewer choices on providers locally and an inevitable price hike on broadband.

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